SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 972

By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Lindsey Dawn Hatfield, 2008 Salutatorian of Jellico High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Lindsey Dawn Hatfield is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2008 graduating class at Jellico High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Hatfield has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Lindsey has earned an exemplary 3.96 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, an esteemed leader among her peers, she has rendered sterling service as the Beta Club Secretary, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America Treasurer, a member of the Student Council, and a member of the Bank Junior Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, a valuable participant in her school's activities and her community's affairs, Lindsey has been a member of several academic, social, and civic organizations, including Students Against Destructive Decisions, DECA, and the Literate Club; she has also volunteered her time and talents at numerous hospital clinicals; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hatfield's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Lindsey's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her mother, Sheila Hatfield, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hatfield's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Jellico High School Salutatorian, Lindsey Dawn Hatfield, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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